

## SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL ELECTION-NOVEMBER 3

On November 3, residents can vote in the State Constitutional Election and Special City Council Election to fill the unexpired term for City Council Place 1. Polls are open 7 am – 7 pm. Voters must vote at their registered precinct. Your precinct

number can be found on your Voter ID card by visiting https://gisit.tarrantcountry.com/VoterLookup/ or by calling the City Secretary's Office at 817.410.3182. Visit the Elections page at GrapevineTexas.gov for more information.

#### **Polling Place Location**

Precinct	Location	Precinct No.	Location
3038	Timberline Elementary School 3220 Timberline Drive, Grapevine, 76051	3390, 3385, 3530	Covenant Church 3508 Glade Road, Colleyville, 76034
3039	Lonesome Dove Church 2380 Lonesome Dove Road, Southlake, 76092	3396	Grapevine Elementary School 1801 Hall-Johnson Road, Grapevine, 76051
3114	The REC of Grapevine 1175 Municipal Way, Grapevine, 76051	3469	Dancing River Assisted Living Center 3735 Ira E. Woods Avenue, Grapevine, 76051
3361, 3321	St. Francis Catholic Church 861 Wildwood Lane, Grapevine, 76051	3470, 3526	Southlake Town Hall 1400 Main Street, Southlake, 76092
3384	Dove Elementary School 1932 Dove Road, Grapevine, 76051	3542, 3035	First Presbyterian Church Grapevine 1002 Park Boulevard, Grapevine, 76051

### **Veterans Day Parade & Fair**

Saturday, November 7, 10 am - 1 pm • Historic Downtown Main Street

Active duty and retired U.S. military service members will be honored with a parade through Historic Downtown Grapevine! The parade will begin at 10 am. The parade will pay tribute to U.S. Military Veterans - past and present and will include floats, marching bands, military vehicles, antique vehicles and more. This parade was organized by a group of Grapevine area Veterans. Immediately following the Veterans Day Parade is the Veterans Day Fair hosted by Congressman Kenny Marchant. The Fair will be held near the Torian Cabin on Main Street, One Liberty Park Plaza. Wear your red, white and blue as we honor our U.S. military and their service to our Country.





## Christmas Capital of Texas® events throughout Grapevine

See page 3 or visit
GrapevineTexasUSA.com/Christmas
for a full listing of events.

# LIBRARY

#### Zooniversity

Animal educator and rescuer Allison Blankenship will bring some furry, feathered, or scaly friends for a Zookeeper's Choice program at Family Storytime on Thursday, November 5 at 7 pm. Meet some amazing live animals and learn all about their habitats, diets, and other interesting facts.

Teens/Tweens Create Program Series (Ages 10 and up): Saturday, November 7 at 2 pm Interactive Improv games with teacher David Patrick of Grapevine Acting Studio.

Saturday, November 21 at 2 pm. Decorate mouthwatering cakes with Scribble Cakes. Registration required as spaces are limited.

#### CREATE /T

#### 3D Printing Now Available at the Library

Create It, funded by the Friends of the Library, has added its second 3D printer! Come check out our new Lulzbot Taz 5 printer. The addition of this new 3D printer has enabled us to cut the waiting queue times in half, so your prints can be finished quicker than ever!

#### Game Design with GameMaker: Studio

Upcoming dates: November 12 and 17 from 6 to 8 pm, December 10 and 15 from 6 to 8 pm. Learn all about game design and build your own games using Game Maker, a free software. Using visual drag and drop programming, anybody can make games with little or no experience. Space is limited so please register for only one session each month on the library's website. Ages 10 and up.

#### **Lego Mindstorm EV3 Robotics Workshops**

Upcoming dates: November 14 from 2 to 4 pm, November 28 from 10:30 to 12:30 pm, and December 12 from 2 to 4 pm. Sign up for robotics workshops using Lego Mindstorms EV3s. These workshops are for middle/high school students—minimum age 10. Please sign up for only one session per month. Look for additional workshops throughout the year! Space is limited, so please register online by clicking "Program Registration" from the library's homepage.

#### Flutasia

The community flute choir will play a variety of holiday musical favorites for your listening enjoyment. Flutasia performs Monday, December 7 at 7 pm.

#### **Holiday Treats with Chef Scott**

Back by popular demand, Chef Scott will whip up some holiday treats with the children as his helpers. Join us on Thursday, December 10 at 7 pm for this fun Family Storytime and enjoy an easy, tasty snack.



#### Jingle & Jolly's Christmas Show

Jingle the Elf will tell the kids about his responsibilities in Santa's workshop and during the grand finale, Jolly the Snowman comes out to help everyone sing a Christmas carol. Children will not only get to see the wonderful magical creations from Santa's Workshop, but they will be the ones that make the magic happen. The children will get to help build a snowman, decorate a tree and test all the zany inventions from Santa's workshop at this special event on Saturday, December 19 at 10:30 am.

Saturday, December 19 at 2 pm Holiday Crafts: Make gifts, ornaments and decorate holiday cards. Supplies will be provided. For more information, contact: 817.410.3405 or teen@grapevinetexas.gov.

Please check our website at Library.GrapevineTexas.gov for more events including robotics and technology programs as they are added to our calendar and for on-going events such as Storytimes, Entwined Minds Book Club, R.E.A.D. to a Furry Friend, Knitting and Quilting Groups, Genealogy Name Droppers, and more. We are also on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram, so like or follow us to keep up with events.

# Artisans' Market

You're invited to the Friends of the Library's 11th Annual Artisans' Market. Join us on Saturday, December 5 from 10 am to 5 pm and Sunday, December 6 from 2 to 5 pm to support local artists and your local library. Don't miss this great holiday shopping opportunity that also benefits Grapevine Public Library. A wide selection of unique items will be available including art glass, pottery, pen & ink art, knitted and hand-woven items, jewelry, nature and travel photography, ornaments, pet portraits, food baskets, and more. Get your holiday shopping done early at the Artisans' Market and truly give a one-of-a-kind gift this year.



## GRAPEVINE CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU

Tower Gallery & Grand Gallery, 636 South Main Street. Open daily. Monday - Friday, 9 am - 5:30 pm, Saturday 10 am - 6:30 pm and Sunday 12 pm - 5 pm. Free admission. For details, visit GrapevineMuseums.com.

Settlement to City Museums at Ted R. Ware Plaza, 206 West Hudgins. Learn the history of Grapevine through hands-on activities, photographs and artifacts. Tuesday - Saturday, 10 am - 2 pm; Sunday, 12 noon - 4 pm.

Nash Farm, 626 Ball Street. Experience programs such as, "Frugal Farm Wife," "Farmhouse on the Grape Vine Prairie" and "First Fridays at the Farm." Some events require pre-registration and have limited space. For more details and to register for events, visit NashFarm.org.

Christmas Events at the Palace Theatre, 300 South Main Street. Experience Christmas movies or a performance by Main Street LIVE, Texas Harmony Chorus, Kraig Parker & the Royal Tribute Band or The Texas Tenors. For tickets, please visit Palace-Theatre.com or 817.410.3100. For Main Street Live visit MainStreetLIVE.rocks or call 817.481.8733.

ICE! & Lone Star Christmas - Gaylord Texan Resort; 1501 Gaylord Trail. November 12, 2015 – January 3, 2016. Gaylord Texan's popular winter holiday attraction will feature Christmas Around the World. For more details, visit GaylordTexan.com.

9th Annual Candlelight Tour of Homes – Historic Downtown Grapevine. November 14, 4 – 7 pm; \$10 per person. Historic homes in Grapevine will be open to the public for touring. Tour begins at 206 West Hudgins Street.

Carol of Lights – Town Square Gazebo, 325 South Main Street. November 23, 7 pm. Guests sing along with local choirs as the "switch is thrown," lighting thousands of lights in Historic Downtown Grapevine.

Magic of Christmas Light Show – Main Street & Dallas Road. November 24, 2015 – January 3, 2016. The nightly show runs from 6 - 11 pm. Free.

Grapevine Vintage Railroad - Cotton Belt Railroad District, 705 South Main Street. North Pole Express®: November 27-29; December 4-6, 11-13 & 18-23. WFAA – Channel 8's Santa's Helpers Toy Drive: December 10, 4 – 11 pm. Christmas Wine Trains: December 10 & 17; 7 pm. Open to adults 21 years and over. After Christmas Train Rides: December 26-30; 1 pm.

Christmas on Main – Historic Downtown Grapevine. November 27-29; December 4-6, 11-13 & 18-23. Tractor-drawn wagon rides will depart behind the Gazebo during select hours. Rides are \$1 per person, per ride, proceeds benefit the historic preservation of Nash Farm.

Parade of Lights – Historic Downtown Grapevine. December 3, 7 pm. North Texas' largest lighted Christmas parade. The parade is free and open to the public.

Twinkle Light Boat Parade – Lake Grapevine. December 5, 6 – 9 pm. It's a floating festival of lights on Lake Grapevine with a parade of boats decorated in their holiday finest. For additional information, please call Scott's Landing at 817.481.4549. Free to view.

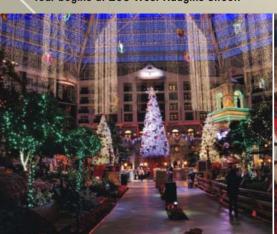
Texas Star Dinner Theater, 816 South Main Street. "A Cold Hearted Christmas", is an interactive western-style holiday entertainment experience. November 20 – December 27. Visit TexasStarDinnerTheater.com or call 817.310.5588 for more details.

SNOWLAND – Great Wolf Lodge, 100 Great Wolf Trail. November 28 - January 3, 2016. For overnight guests. Daily snow shows inside the Grand Lobby, appearances by Santa, holiday sing-a-longs and much more. Visit GreatWolf.com for more details.

Enjoy Octonauts at SEA LIFE Grapevine Aquarium and Holiday Bricktacular at LEGOLAND® Discovery Center, 3000 Grapevine Mills Parkway. Enjoy a variety of holiday activities. For schedule, visit LegolandDiscoveryCenter.com and VisitSeaLife.com/Grapevine.

"Santa's Wonderland" at Bass Pro Shops – 2501 Bass Pro Drive. Enjoy old-time model trains, arcades, carousel and free crafts every week. For more information, call 972.724.2018 or visit BassPro.com.

For more information about Grapevine's events and festivals, visit GrapevineTexasUSA.com or call 817.410.3185. All events and dates subject to change.







# City News

## **Grapevine Police Santa Cops Program**

The Grapevine Police Santa Cops program is now in its 20th year. Santa Cops was implemented in 1995 by retired Officer Margie Salame to donate toys to economically disadvantaged children in the GCISD school district. Through this program, Christmas wishes are fulfilled to hundreds of area children each year.

Santa Cops is operated by Grapevine Police Officers, their families and community volunteers and is funded entirely by local donations. Santa Cops would be non-existent without the extreme generosity of the people of this great community!

Santa Cops accepts cash and new toy donations which can be dropped off at any number of our collection sites: Grapevine Police Department; City Hall; Central Fire Station; The REC, and Waffle Way.

Santa Cops is always in need of volunteers!

Please register for updates from our new Santa Cops Community Information Service at nixle.com or text from your mobile phone to 888777 and text SANTACOPS. The information we publish via this service can be sent directly to you via text, email and/or web message.

Our 2015 wrapping dates are December 8, 10, 15 and December 17 (if necessary) from 6-9 pm. The Santa Cops workshop location will soon be shared via Grapevine Police social media channels (Facebook, Twitter and Instagram).

For additional information, please contact Grapevine Police Community Relations at 817.410.3206.







## A Message from the Fire Department — Heating and the Holidays

As we get close to the holidays and colder weather, be mindful of your heating and holiday decorations.

Check out these basic tips for your family's safety.

#### **LIVE Christmas Tree Tips**

- Place tree away from heat sources.
- · Use only non-flammable decorations.
- Use only lighting that is tested by a testing agency such as UL.
- Inspect lights for frayed wire or other defects before use.
- Do not leave lights on unattended.
- Keep natural tree stands filled with water at all times.
- · When the tree becomes dry, discard it promptly.

#### **Heating Your Home**

Each year heating is a leading cause of home fire deaths. Review these fire safety tips and be safe during the cold weather.

- Keep all things that can burn at least three feet from any stove, fireplace, portable heaters and space heaters.
- Never use cooking appliances to heat your home. Carbon monoxide is deadly and fumes from fires produce carbon monoxide and will collect if not properly vented to the outside.

- Electric space heaters should have cords plugged into outlets with sufficient capacity and never plugged into an extension cord.
- Space heaters should be kept at least three feet from anything that can burn and turned off when you leave the room or go to bed.
- Never use or store LP gas tanks inside your home.
- Kerosene heaters are not allowed in theaters, churches, hospitals or apartments.
- Kerosene heaters, if used in your single family house must be listed and approved by a testing laboratory such as UL.
- Always use the proper grade of kerosene, never gasoline or other fuels.
- Keep fireplace fires small and always use a screen to prevent sparks from flying into the room.
- Never burn paper or trash in a fireplace.
- Always allow ashes from your fireplace to cool completely before disposing of them.
- Have your chimney inspected, cleaned and/or repaired each winter, as necessary.

# City News

### Ideas to Recycle & Minimize Waste This Christmas Season

#### **Christmas Cards and Decorations**

- Christmas Cards: Send your Christmas cards via email (E-card), buy cards made of eco-friendly stock, or use holiday photo card which may be used as a keepsake instead of thrown away. If you receive Christmas cards in the mail, use them the next year for kids' Christmas activities or crafts such as homemade gift tags.
- Holiday Decorations: Before disposing of old Christmas decorations, consider donating them. Donate them to a thrift store like GRACE or other organizations if they are in acceptable condition. Even old Christmas lights are readily accepted for recycling or trade-in now in exchange for the more energy efficient LED lights.
- Christmas Trees: Don't throw away your natural Christmas tree. Christmas Trees will be collected curbside with clean brush on Wednesday, January 6 or Wednesday, January 20.

#### **Green Gift & Re-use**

- Re-Usable Shopping Bags: Just like any time of year, utilize re-usable shopping bags to reduce the number of plastic bags that are thrown in the trash.
- Gift Certificates: Gift cards are a great way to minimize waste and drive down your transportation footprint by keeping business local.
- Handmade Christmas gifts: Get creative (or help your kids get creative) with Christmas crafts and holiday baking.
   Homemade Christmas gifts like goodies, bread or Christmas

- ornaments and decorations made of materials from around your home make meaningful and resourceful gifts.
- Buy earth-friendly gifts: Consider giving green gifts, or gifts made of durable materials or recycled content to minimize the impact on the environment.

#### **Christmas Wrapping & Packaging**

- Gift Wrapping Paper: Most Christmas wrapping papers are not recyclable, especially if they are made of foil or metallic materials. Purchase wrapping paper made of recycled material whenever possible or have kids draw or paint their own designs on paper shopping bags for a fun Christmas activity.
- Gift Tags: Make your own gift tags using recycled wrapping paper or last year's Christmas cards.
- Wrapping Accessories: Re-use ribbons, bows, gift bags, and boxes whenever you can. Reusing ribbon may seem like a small step, but if every family in the U.S. re-used just two feet of holiday ribbon, it would save 38,000 miles of ribbon (equivelant to tieing a bow around the planet)!

Anytime of the year, but especially Christmas, is a perfect time to practice your green recycling habits. Make recycling during Christmas a new holiday tradition for your family.

## Grapevine Recycles Day 2015 - Saturday, November 14

In association with America Recycles Day, the City of Grapevine will be hosting its annual Grapevine Recycles Day Event on Saturday, November 14 from 8 am until 11:30 am. The event will be hosted at the Municipal Service Center, 501 Shady Brook Drive. The City will be accepting the following recyclable and reusable items:

- paper/cardboard
- plastic
- metal
- styrofoam
- vehicle tires (tractor or bicycle tires, tires should be removed from rims)
- batteries
- e-waste (computers, printers, tvs)
- appliances (refrigerators, dishwashers, ranges, etc.)
- eyeglasses and hearing aids
- re-usable items
   (books / tools / toys / clothes sneakers)
- ink/toner cartridges
- cell phones/PDAs
- mattresses

Document shredding will also be provided at this event.

#### Items that will NOT be accepted are:

Household Hazardous Waste (paint, oil, pesticide/herbicides, etc.), liquids, unknown waste, ammunition/explosives, closed cylinders (i.e., extinguishers, propane tanks), medical waste, radioactive material, commercial business waste.

In order to save time in line, you may download and complete the survey for this event prior to attendance at GrapevineTexas.gov prior to attending.

We will also be collecting food donations for GRACE and unwrapped toys for the Grapevine Police Santa Cops Program at this event.

Visit our expanded education and outreach area across the street from the event. Free food and a variety of giveaways will be provided by Keep Grapevine Beautiful (KGVB).

For more information, contact the City's Public Works Department at 817.410.3330.



# City News

## **2016 Annual Budget Highlights**

Conservative spending, along with enhanced economic development efforts has resulted in a slight tax decrease. The tax rate for the City of Grapevine will be \$ .328437, making us one of the lowest in Tarrant County and the lowest rate of our neighboring communities.

In our latest online citizen survey, Grapevine residents made various requests for items and/or areas they wished to see improvement. You spoke, we listened! The following items have been approved by the Grapevine City Council for the upcoming FY2016 budget and will soon begin implementation. We will continue to assess those items that were not funded and seek opportunities to improve service in those areas.

#### **Staying Connected**

The upgrade of WiFi on Main Street will allow us to provide bandwidth and a more secure connection for the public - providing higher speeds for residents and visitors. Our WiFi will also be extended at Dove Waterpark beyond the pool area and into Casey's Clubhouse and Dove Park play areas.

#### Saving Lives Through Technology

The Grapevine Fire Department will be adding four Lucas Chest Compression Systems to ambulances. The Lucas devices are made by Physio Control, Inc. and will assist the firefighter/paramedics in saving the lives of sudden cardiac arrest patients. This device creates life-sustaining circulation by providing uninterrupted chest compressions, allowing the paramedics to better evaluate and care for the patient. This device will also help avoid neurological damage by delivering a steady supply of oxygen to the heart and brain. In two studies, the blood flow to the brain increased by 60% with the Lucas device - compared to manual CPR.

Body worn cameras are a tool used to document police/citizen interactions, with both audio and video. In the FY15 budget year, City Council approved the purchase of 60 body worn cameras. The 60 cameras allowed for all patrol officers to be equipped with a camera. For the 2016 budget, City Council has approved the purchase of 40 additional cameras. The 40 cameras will allow us to issue a camera to every sworn officer with the Grapevine Police Department.

#### **Dog Park Design and Construction**

Design and construction of one dog park, along with design for a second will move forward this year. This project is in the preliminary planning stages so stay tuned for more information.

#### **Trails**

The Grapevine City Council has asked for a review of the comprehensive master plan for trails so that they can see where future needs exist for trails and make smart funding allocations for future trail projects. This review will be completed this fiscal year.

#### **Animal Shelter Improvements**

A full assessment of the Animal Services Division's operational and capital condition will be conducted this year to draw a roadmap for any future projects in that area. In addition, additional interior soundproofing and additional exterior kennels will be provided. These improvements will provide more outdoor space for the dogs waiting to be adopted and make the environment on the inside of the building more conducive to adoption.

#### **Christmas Decorations**

The annual allocation for Christmas decorations this year will complete the transition to LED lighting on the rooftops of Main Street buildings, making downtown even more festive. The integrated LED lighting system will allow the light colors to change seasonally and for special events. The integration of the new LED lighting system throughout will ensure an 87% power usage savings. In addition, there is funding for a few additional surprises in the Liberty Park Plaza area.

#### **Continuation of Other Projects**

Finally, we will continue several multi-phase projects during this year. Phase III of the backlit street sign project will light the remainder of the street signs at intersections along the Northwest Highway corridor, making for better visibility and navigation at night. The first phase of the DFW Connector landscaping project will match a TxDOT grant to improve the areas along the Highway 114 corridor from Main Street to Texan Trail with drought tolerant plantings.

## Firefighters Train City Employees to use CPR and AED Device

The Grapevine Fire Department in collaboration with the American Heart Association has implemented an educational program titled Don't Die of Doubt. This educational program offers a training component that is currently underway with 15 of our Grapevine Firefighters. These Grapevine Firefighters are being taught to be CPR (Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation) and \*AED (Automated External Defibrillator) instructors. As training instructors, these Firefighters will be able to lead classes teaching City of Grapevine

employees on how to properly administer CPR and use an AED device, in the event of an emergency in City buildings.

\*An AED device is a portable device that checks the heart rhythm and can send an electric shock to the heart to try to restore a normal rhythm. AEDs are used to treat sudden cardiac arrest (SCA). SCA is a condition in which the heart suddenly and unexpectedly stops beating.

## PARKS & RECREATION

#### **ATHLETICS**

#### **TENNIS CLASSES**

- Session 11 Registration opens October 15. Session dates are November 1 through 21. Fees vary from \$30 to \$75 per class for youth and adult. For more information contact Austin Wynne at 214.668.1619.
- Session 12 Registration opens November 15. Session dates are December 1 through 19. Fees vary from \$30 to \$75 per class for youth and adult. For more information contact Austin Wynne at 214.668.1619.

#### **GRAPEVINE FALL OPEN TENNIS TOURNAMENT**

Registration opens November 1 and the deadline is November 17. The tournament date is Saturday, November 21. Fee is \$18/player and \$32/doubles. Open to players aged 14 and up. For more information contact Kelly Langdon at 817.233.5793.

#### **ADULT LEAGUES**

Fall Flag Football 4 on 4 Registration: October 18-25

Late Registration: October 26 – November 2 (add 10% late fee)

Fees: \$250/team

Season dates: November 17 - February 9, 2016

Winter Adult Basketball Registration: October 18-25

Late Registration: October 26 – November 2 (add 10% late fee)

Fees: \$360/team

Season dates: November 30 - February 3, 2016

#### **EVENT**

#### **DADDY DAUGHTER DANCE: A MASQUERADE BALL**

Choose a mask and wear it well, so your true identity, no one can tell.

City of Grapevine cordially invites fathers and their daughters to enjoy an enchanting evening of dancing, food and fun. This formal affair is a stylish night of dreams and sophistication to help you create memories you will cherish for a lifetime as you dance the night away. Tickets go on sale December 28 and are available for purchase at The REC by calling 817.410.3450 or at playgrapevinereg.com. Space is limited and the event will sell out quickly. Tickets will not be sold at the door.

Day/Dates: Friday, January 29 and Saturday, January 30, 2016

Times: January 29; 7 – 9 pm

January 30; 4-6 pm and 7-9 pm

Location: Compass Center - 4201 Pool Road, Grapevine

Cost: \$15/person on or before January 23 \$20/person beginning January 24

#### THE REC -

#### **HEALTH & FITNESS**

#### **New Insanity Instructor**

Help us welcome Casey Walker to The REC! Casey is the 2015 Winner of the Beachbody Challenge.

From the DVDs to The REC! The revolutionary, cardio-based, total body-conditioning program is here! This calorie torching, shirt soaking workout is based on the principals of MAX Interval Training. You'll be ripping through the most heart-pumping, muscle shredding, sweat dripping, high-intensity cardio workout ever. It is designed to provide you a safe, challenging and results-driven workout with no equipment necessary. Each move has a modification which makes this workout for anyone at any fitness level.

Days/Time: Tues/Thurs 9:45 - 10:30 am

Code: 706310

Fees: \$66 (non-member) \$56 (member)/month

#### Saturday Morning Cycling

Rise and shine with this high energy workout to start your weekend! Nothing beats a cycling class for a low-impact, invigorating, calorie-crushing workout. With the lights off, fans blowing and music rockin', this class is the perfect way build cardiovascular endurance and get strong and lean. Get in, get sweaty and get on with your day.

Instructor: Wendy Dolan
Day/Time: Saturdays 8 - 8:50 am

Code: 706616

Fees: \$40 (non-member) \$30 (member)/month

#### Lunchtime Yoga

Take a break from your day and spend lunch gaining strength and flexibility. Mondays and Wednesdays we will push ourselves to the next level and Friday we will reward ourselves with a wonderful restorative style Yoga class. Beginning to intermediate levels.

Instructor: Mary Cunningham Days/Time: M/W/F 12-12:50 pm

Code: 706808

Fees: \$55 (non-member) \$45 (member)/month

#### Morning Zumba

The Original Dance-Fitness Party! Are you ready to party yourself into shape? Forget the workout and lose yourself in the music at the original dance-fitness party. Zumba classes feature exotic rhythms set to high-energy Latin and international beats. Before you know it, you'll be getting fit and your energy levels will be soaring! It's easy to do, effective, and totally exhilarating.

Instructor: Samantha Olson Days/Time: Tues/Thurs 9-10 am

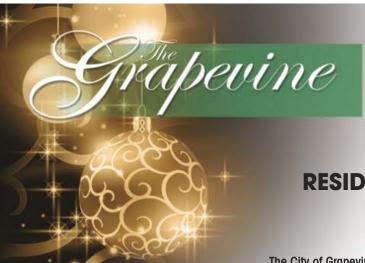
Code: 706604

Fees: \$55 (non-member) \$45 (member)/month









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## ACTIVE ADULTS - 55 & BETTER at The REC

#### **AARP Driver Safety**

We are offering this class on Tuesday, November 10, 1-5 pm. The charge is \$15 for AARP members who have their card with them and \$20 for non-members. Call to sign up; space is limited.

#### Senior Movers

Senior Movers assists Grapevine's seniors with transportation to and from medical and dental appointments. Pre-registration is required to use this service; call for more information. Volunteers to provide this needed service are so appreciated! Please call 817.410.3465 if you are available to volunteer to make a difference in the lives of our seniors!

#### Young@Heart Gardeners

Do you remember the excitement of making custom greeting cards for your friends? Recreate the excitement by making seeded paper medallion cards. First we make the paper, next we add the flower seeds, and then we make a card. The lucky person who receives your card can plant the medallion which will then produce a lovely pot of flowers. Join us at the Bessie Mitchell House (411 Ball Street) on Monday, November 23 from 10 am to 12 pm. Register at The REC with your \$5 payment.

All activities are available to adults 55 years and better. For more information, please call 817.410.3465 or visit us at 1175 Municipal Way. A complete schedule of activities is available at PlayGrapevine.com.

#### **Computer Class Registration**

Mark your calendars for January 4 to sign up for computer classes. Walk-in registrations take place 9 am - 12 pm. After this date, you may phone in your request. Registration is first come, first served with priority given to Grapevine residents. A list of classes can be found at playgrapevine.com. Schedules are also available at The REC after December 15.

#### Irish Splendor - March 10-17, 2016

If you are interested in this, please contact the Active Adult front desk to check availability. Highlights include Dublin, Guinness Storehouse, Blarney Castle, Killarney, Dingle Peninsula, Cliffs of Moher, Dromoland Castle, and Tullamore Dew Heritage Centre where you learn how Irish whiskey is made and enjoy a tasting.



Animal Control 817.410.3370

**City Hall** 817.410.3000

City Manager's Office 817.410.3105

City Secretary's Office 817.410.3182

Convention and Visitors Bureau 817.410.3185

**Development Services** 817.410.3155

Fire Department 911, 817.410.3520

Grapevine Library 817,410,3400

Municipal Court 817.410.3284

The REC 817.410.3450

Parks & Recreation 817.410.3122

**Police Department** 911, 817.410.3255

**Public Works** 817.410.3330

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